

CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA
Journal of the Proceedings
of the Common Council

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Absent 0 viz: Councilman G

The minutes of the last regular March 28, 1967 session having been delivered to the Council, were, on Motion, approved as published.



City of Fort Wayne

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR

To the Common Council
Fort Wayne, Indiana

Gentlemen and Mrs. Fay:

Today, March 30, 1967, I have approved the following ordinances passed by the Common Council at its regular meeting on March 28, 1967:

(Bill No. Z-66-07-28)

ZONING MAP ORDINANCE NO. Z-102-67

AN ORDINANCE amending the City of Fort Wayne Zoning Map No. G-7.

(Bill No. Z-66-12-08)

ZONING MAP ORDINANCE NO. Z-103-67

AN ORDINANCE amending the City of Fort Wayne Zoning Map No. A-9.

(Bill No. X-66-12-13) (Amended)

ANNEXATION ORDINANCE NO. X-17-67

AN ORDINANCE annexing certain territory to the City of Fort Wayne, and including the same in Councilmanic District No. 3.

(Bill No. S-67-03-01)

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-446-67

AN ORDINANCE approving a contract with MINNESOTA MINING & MFG. CO. for the City's 1967 requirements of Reflective Sheeting Sign Faces.

(Bill No. S-67-03-02)

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-447-67

AN ORDINANCE approving a contract with HALL SIGN AND POST, INC. for the City's 1967 requirements of Sign Posts and Sign Blanks.

(Bill No. S-67-03-03)

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-448-67

AN ORDINANCE approving a contract with BALTIMORE PAINT AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION for Reflective Traffic Paint.

(Bill No. S-67-03-04)

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-449-67

AN ORDINANCE approving a contract with PRISMO SAFETY CORPORATION for Reflective and Non-Reflective Traffic Paint.



MADE A MATTER OF RECORD

DATE 4-18-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK

(Bill No. S-67-03-05)
SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-450-67
AN ORDINANCE approving a certain bid document between the City of Fort Wayne and INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY for one 1967 van type truck.

(Bill No. S-67-03-06)
SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-451-67
AN ORDINANCE approving a certain bid document between the City of Fort Wayne and C. A. GRIEGER, INC. for one 1967 pick-up truck.


(Bill No. S-67-03-07)
SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-452-67
AN ORDINANCE approving a contract with JOHN DEHNER, INC. and City of Fort Wayne for Storm Sewer Resolution No. 175-1967 in the area of Chancellor Drive and Dalewood Drive.

(Bill No. G-67-03-11)
GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. G-91-67
AN ORDINANCE amending certain Schedules of Chapter 31 of the Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, 1946, as amended by General Ordinance No. 2726, adopted December 22, 1953.

(Bill No. S-67-03-13)
SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-453-67
AN ORDINANCE fixing the salaries and compensation of the elected City Officials of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

(Bill No. R-67-03-22)
RESOLUTION NO. R-53-67
A RESOLUTION authorizing payments for repairs to Unit No. 59, Unit No. 60, Unit No. 295 and Unit No. 237.

Respectfully submitted,


Harold S. Zeis
Mayor.

MADE A MATTER OF RECORD
DATE 4-12-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK



BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

City of Fort Wayne

COMMUNICATION FROM BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

March 30, 1967

President of the Common Council
City of Fort Wayne, Indiana

Attached herewith are authenticated copies of the Board of Public Safety Regulatory Resolutions number 10-67/D, 11-67/E and 12-67/E.

For the purpose of enforcement, please make this communication and the attached Regulatory Resolutions a matter of record and incorporate same into the minutes of the next Common Council Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Melvin H. Heckman, Chairman
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

BY: *George W. Bormuth*
George W. Bormuth, Exec. Sec'y.

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MADE A MATTER OF RECORD

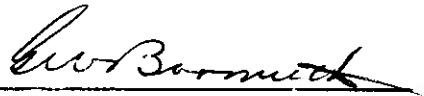
DATE 4-11-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK



RETURN CERTIFICATE

(Regulatory Resolution No. 10-67 /D) , 11-67/E & 12-67/E

I hereby certify that I did this 30th day of March, 196⁷ deliver to each, the City Traffic Engineer, the Chief of Police, the City Attorney, The City Clerk and the President of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, respectively, a copy of the within Regulatory Resolution No. 10-67/D, 11-67/E & 12-67/E of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Fort Wayne, duly certified by me as Secretary of said Board, in accordance with the provisions of Section 20 (a) of Chapter 31, Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana 1946, as amended by General Ordinance G-55, adopted FEB. 14, 1961.



EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

REGULATORY RESOLUTION NO. 10-67/D

(Adopted March 29, 1967)

WHEREAS, Section 20 (a) (2), Chapter 31, Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as amended by General Ordinance No. G-55, adopted FEB. 14, 1961, authorizes the Board of Public Safety to make regulations to carry out its delegated authority thereunder; and,

WHEREAS, Section 62 & 121 of said chapter as so amended delegates to this Board authority to designate preferential intersections and restrict parking near hazardous or congested places

_____ ; and,

WHEREAS, the City Traffic Engineer has, by written memorandum dated March 29, 1967, submitted to this Board his advice with regard to the regulation hereinafter adopted, which written memorandum is on file in the office of this Board;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

That, pursuant to the authority delegated to this Board by Section 62 & 121 of Chapter 31, Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana 1946, as amended by General Ordinance No G-55 adopted FEB. 14, 1961. it is hereby

ordered, effective March 29, 1967, and when signs are erected pursuant hereto giving notice thereof, that THE FOLLOWING BE ESTABLISHED:

A. Preferential Intersection:

1. Euclid Avenue - Preferential at Antoinette St.
2. St. Mary's Avenue - Preferential at Greenlawn Ave.

Delete

1. North Washington Road - Preferential at Ardmore Ave.

B. No Parking:

1. Harrison Street - west side - from Killea St. to 100 ft. north thereof.
2. Creighton Avenue - south side - from 125 ft. west of Holton Ave. to 60 ft. west thereof.

REGULATORY RESOLUTION NO. 11-67E

(Adopted March 29, 196 7)

WHEREAS, Section 20(a) (3), Chapter 31, Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as amended by General Ordinance No. G-55 adopted FEB. 14 1961 authorizes the Board of Public Safety to make experimental regulations to cover special conditions; and,

WHEREAS, a special condition has arisen justifying the Experimental Regulation hereinafter ordered, with regard to stop intersection, no parking, no parking during certain hours and speed limits

_____ ; and,

WHEREAS, the City Traffic : Engineer has, by written memorandum dated March 29, 196 7, submitted to this Board his advice with regard to the regulation hereinafter adopted, which written memorandum is on file in the office of this Board;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

That, pursuant to the authority granted to this Board by Section 20 (a) (3) of Chapter 31 of the Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana 1946, as amended by General Ordinance No G-55. adopted FEB. 14, 1961. to make experimental regulations to cover special condi-

tions, it is hereby ordered, effective March 29,

196 7, and for a period of sixty (60) days thereafter, and when signs are erected pursuant hereto giving notice thereof, that THE FOLLOWING BE ESTABLISHED:

A. Stop Intersection:

1. Ardmore Avenue - STOP - at North Washington Road.

B. No Parking:

1. Anthony Blvd. - west side - from Rudisill Blvd. to McKinnie Ave.
2. Cascade Drive - west side - from Fairfax Ave. to Silverleaf Drive.

C. No Parking 7:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. School Days:

1. Elwood Drive - east side - from Fairlawn Pass to Highwood Drive.

D. No Parking 8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.:

1. Oakland Street - both sides - from Spring St. to 180 ft. south.

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REGULATORY RESOLUTION NO. 12-67/E

(Adopted March 29, 196 7)

WHEREAS, Section 20(a) (3), Chapter 31, Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as amended by General Ordinance No. G-55 adopted FEB. 14 1961 authorizes the Board of Public Safety to make experimental regulations to cover special conditions; and,

WHEREAS, a special condition has arisen justifying the Experimental Regulation hereinafter ordered, with regard to renewing and extending Regulatory Resolution 3-67/E

_____ ; and,

WHEREAS, the City Traffic Engineer has, by written memorandum dated March 21, 196 7, submitted to this Board his advice with regard to the regulation hereinafter adopted, which written memorandum is on file in the office of this Board;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

That, pursuant to the authority granted to this Board by Section 20 (a) (3) of Chapter 31 of the Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana 1946, as amended by General Ordinance No G-55, adopted FEB. 14, 1961, to make experimental regulations to cover special condi-

tions, it is hereby ordered, effective March 26, 196 7, and for a period of sixty (60) days thereafter, and when signs are erected pursuant hereto giving notice thereof, that THE FOLLOWING BE ESTABLISHED:

A. Renew & Extend Regulatory Resolution 3-67/E
Stop Intersection:

1. Trier Road - STOP - at Hobson Road.



City of Fort Wayne

CITY PLAN COMMISSION
425 S. Calhoun Street

April 4, 1967

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY PLAN COMMISSION

The Common Council of the
City of Fort Wayne
City Hall
Fort Wayne, Indiana

Gentlemen and Mrs. Fay:

Attached hereto are the recommendations of the City Plan Commission on eight (8) ordinances concerning the amendment of the Zoning Ordinance (General Ordinance Number 2836, amending Chapter 36 of the Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, 1946). The proposed ordinances are designated as:

Bill No. Z-66-01-18✓
Bill No. Z-67-01-07✓
Bill No. Z-67-01-08✓
Bill No. Z-67-01-15✓
Bill No. Z-67-01-16✓
Bill No. Z-67-02-11✓
Bill No. Z-67-02-12✓
Bill No. Z-67-02-14✓

Respectfully submitted,

CITY PLAN COMMISSION

Certified and signed this
4th day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary



MADE A MATTER OF RECORD

DATE 4-11-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on January 25, 1966, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-66-01-18; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on February 21, 1966; and,

WHEREAS, a letter requesting withdrawal of the proposed ordinance has been filed with the City Plan Commission by the petitioner;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance be withdrawn in accordance with the written request of the petitioner;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

This is to certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission held March 27, 1967.

Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on January 10, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-01-07; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO NOT PASS for the reasons that no need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will not be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will be detrimental to and conflicts with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

This is to certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission held March 27, 1967.

Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on January 10, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-01-08; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby return said ordinance to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne with no recommendation;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

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Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on January 24, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-01-15; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO NOT PASS for the reasons that no need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will not be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will be detrimental to and conflicts with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

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3rd day of April 1967.

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Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on January 24, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-01-16; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO NOT PASS for the reasons that no need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will not be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will be detrimental to and conflicts with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

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Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on February 14, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-02-11; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO PASS for the reasons that a need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will not be detrimental to and does not conflict with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

This is to certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission held March 27, 1967.

Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on February 14, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposed ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-02-12; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO NOT PASS for the reasons that no need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will not be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will be detrimental to and conflicts with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

This is to certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission held March 27, 1967.

Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary

RESOLUTION OF ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT RECOMMENDATION

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on February 14, 1967, referred a proposed zoning map amendment to the City Plan Commission which proposes ordinance was designated as Bill No. Z-67-02-14; and,

WHEREAS, the required notice of public hearing on such proposed ordinance has been published as required by law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Plan Commission conducted a public hearing on such proposed ordinance on March 20, 1967;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Plan Commission does hereby recommend that such proposed ordinance DO PASS for the reasons that a need has been shown for the Land Use Plan to be amended, the amendment will be in the best interest of and benefit to the area involved and of and to the city, and the amendment will not be detrimental to and does not conflict with the overall city plan;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary is hereby directed to present a copy of this resolution to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

This is to certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at the meeting of the Fort Wayne City Plan Commission held March 27, 1967.

Certified and signed this
3rd day of April 1967.

Mary Ann Haynie
Secretary



City of Fort Wayne

TROY YEOMAN
Building Commissioner
425 S. Cathoun Street

April 10, 1967

Fort Wayne City Council
Attention: Mr. Rousseau, President

Dear Sirs:

The Technical Advisory Board has reviewed your letter of January 31st regarding the addition of a gas code section to the City Code. As was indicated by Mr. Steigerwald, a section was established, and is now in force, titled Division 600, Commercial and Industrial (non-sanitary) Piping and Systems. This section presently requires that all piping materials, appliances and equipment used in connection with flammable gases be in conformity with the standards of the State Fire Marshall of Indiana, The Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., and other approved standards. One of the standards referenced is No. 54, NFPA specifically covering installation of gas appliances and gas piping in buildings.

This Board feels that with respect to all gas installation, upstream from the meter within the corporate limits of the city, that Division 600, properly enforced, will provide adequate safety.

With respect to regulation of gas service, downstream from the meter, we have asked for and obtained a legal opinion from our Associate City Attorney, Louis L. Bloom, copy of which opinion is attached. This opinion, in effect, points out that municipal corporations are precluded from regulating public utilities located within their corporate limits, except under exercise of its "police" power.

Presently the Northern Indiana Public Service Company is bound in the construction, operation and maintenance of gas facilities by approved national standards - specifically the American Standard Code For Gas Transmission and Distribution Piping Systems, and Company Welding Standards.

As an Advisory Board, we recommend the following:

1. That qualified inspection manpower be put into place to properly enforce Division 600 of the present Municipal Code, with respect to all gas installations upstream from the meter.
2. That attention be given by interested agencies to modifications, additions and improvements to Division 600 - such modifications, additions and improvements to be presented in writing to this Board for approval.



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3. That with respect to all gas service downstream from the meter, we abide by the legal opinion presented by Mr. Bloom.

Very truly yours,


Troy E. Yeoman, Secretary
Technical Variance Board

TEY/jr

MADE A MATTER OF RECORD
DATE 4-11-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK

City of Fort Wayne

DEPARTMENT OF LAW
1120 Lincoln Tower
J. Robert Arnold, City Attorney
Associate City Attorneys:
Louis L. Bloom
David R. Heaton
Robert E. Meyers
Edward N. Smith

March 13, 1967

Mr. Troy Yoeman
Technical Advisory Board
City of Fort Wayne, Indiana

Dear Mr. Yoeman:

You have asked for an opinion regarding whether the City is able to regulate the providing of gas service "downstream" from the meter within the corporate limits of the City.

The legislature has conferred upon the Public Service Commission of the State of Indiana the right to regulate all public utilities within the State of Indiana, and this right is an exclusive right, which deprives the municipal corporations, which draw their authority from the same legislature, from regulating public utilities located within their corporate limits.

However, this "preemption" of the regulation of public utilities does not deprive the City of its right to make reasonable regulations regarding the use of its streets and does not deprive the municipal corporation from its ability to exercise its "police" powers to maintain and guard the health, safety and welfare of its citizens. It would appear the municipal corporation, in the exercise of its "police" power could impose reasonable safety regulations upon the operation of gas transmission or the transmission of other public utility services within its corporate city limits.

It is my opinion that the City of Fort Wayne cannot regulate public utility services located within its city limits, except as such regulation may be a clearly defined exercise of the City of Fort Wayne's "police" power.

Respectfully submitted,

Louis L. Bloom
Louis L. Bloom
Associate City Attorney

DATE 4-11-67 WALTER C. MEYERS, CITY CLERK

LLB/df

cc: J. Robert Arnold



MINUTES OF THE MAYOR'S COMMISSION ON HUMAN RELATIONS

APRIL 25, 1966

ATTENDANCE: Rev. Edwin A. Neger, Chairman; Captain Donald Evans, Mrs. Theodore Borders, Father Leonard Fullenkamp, Dr. Archie Keene, Office Robert Russell, Levan Scott, Mrs. Lloyd S. Stubbins, Jr., Mrs. Vernon P. Wickliffe, William G. Williams. GUEST: Wesley Bashore--Journal Gazette; STAFF: Alvin E. Wesley and Miss Brenda J. Whittaker.

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m. by Chairman Neger in the Trail End Room of the Central YMCA.

The minutes of the March 21, 1966, meeting were approved as mailed.

The Treasurer's Report was approved as mailed.

Alvin Wesley read correspondence sent to superintendent Lester Grile requesting that a meeting be set up to discuss the rezoning of Central High School. To date the Commission office has received no reply. Mr. Wesley also read correspondence from Mr. Howard G. Sheltraw, Executive Director of City Planning of Saginaw, Michigan. Mr. Sheltraw requested the guidelines the Fort Wayne Real Estate Board has drawn up in cooperation with the Commission. Mr. Wesley showed the article which appeared in TRENDS, a housing publication by the National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing. Also received was a letter from Mr. Gould of the local IUE. Mr. Gould requested the Commission's endorsement of a refugee village to be erected in Viet Nam. It was moved, seconded and unanimously approved that the staff send a letter of encouragement and commendation to the IUE.

Chairman Neger called for reports from the Standing Committees. At the March meeting the education committee was empowered to investigate the possibilities of placing posters with pictures and stories of the contributions of outstanding American Negroes in the Fort Wayne Community Schools. Mrs. Stubbins reported that Fred Gingrich and Alvin Wesley had gone to Mr. Grile in regard to this matter and that the idea was well received. Mr. Grile said that he would also like Mr. Wesley to present this idea to the Principle's Club. Also at the March meeting Mrs. Stubbins reported that her committee would meet with Miss June Shagaloff, National Education Director for the NAACP, to discuss her committee's activities in regard to "de facto school segregation," etc. Mrs. Stubbins reported, however, that because of Miss Shagaloff's schedule, the education committee was unable to meet with her as they had planned but some members did have the opportunity to hear her presentation at the Urban League forum. Miss Shagaloff was impressed with the committee's work and encouraged them to continue.

Father Fullenkamp reported that on Saturday, May 14, 1966, from 3 to 6 in the afternoon the housing consultations will be in the Hanna-Creighton and Rolling Mill area. There will be two real estate brokers, an attorney, two hostesses to greet the residents, two babysitters for the parent's convenience and two cars with chauffeurs to provide transportation. He said appropriate publicity will be provided.

There was no report from the Public Accommodations Committee. One of the Commissioners did bring to the attention of the Commission his feelings that there was some discrimination in regard to the registration policies of some local hospitals. He said there is reason to believe discrimination exists in this area in view of the fact that Negroes are often being placed in the same rooms. Consequently, Chairman Nерger requested that the committee investigate the registration policies of the local hospitals. It was brought out that the federal government is conducting a national survey on hospitals. The Public Accommodations committee was asked to check on this matter.

Mr. Wesley reported that the Public Relations Committee is working on both the newsletter and the annual report. He said committee members are working on assignments to prepare articles for the first newsletter which they hope to have ready by May 15th. At an earlier meeting in the year, the Commission had discussed the Commission's activities presented by Mr. Wesley in report form. The Commission instructed the Public Relations Committee to duplicate all materials as it was reported and discussed at that meeting. Close to 1500 copies will be prepared, Mr. Wesley said.

The Review Committee, Mr. Wesley reported, has met and reviewed the "Procedures for Filing and Processing Complaints." They have not, however, had the chance to discuss the procedures in detail. When they have met and finalized their procedures, a copy of them will be sent to each commissioner.

During the weekend of April 2, 1966, the residents in the area of Hayden and Frances Streets held three rallies in protest of the junkyard expansion of Wayne Iron & Metal Company owned par by Abe Zinn of West Sherwood Terrace. Mr. Wesley reported that through his discussions with the leaders of the protest and other community persons familiar with the situation, the leadership agrees that legally Wayne Metal has the right to expand its junkyard in that area, but they feel the company also has a moral and ethical obligation to the residents in not expanding in that particular area. They have for this reason planned a march from the site of the junkyard expansion to the home of Mr. Abe Zinn who is one of the owners of the company. The march will be held on Saturday, April 30, 1966, at 11 a.m. Mr. Wesley also reported that he learned in these discussions that the march appears to also symbolize a growing unrest and dissatisfaction among Negroes about housing conditions generally. After extensive discussion on the subject, the Commission was unanimous in its endorsement of the broad moral issue. Commissioner members also felt that the Commission should continue to work with the protest leaders and the owners of Wayne Metal in bringing about a negotiated settlement if at all possible. The Commission also instructed the Executive Secretary and the Chairman to draw up a positive statement expressing the Commission's views and that this statement be made public.

The Commission discussed further the question of housing discrimination as it exists in Fort Wayne. As a result of this discussion, Chairman Nерger requested the housing committee to compile a factual report and present it to the Commission at the June meeting. The question came up regarding the housing conference. Mr. Wesley reported that the Human Relations Council is considering June 14 and 17 as tentative dates for the conference.

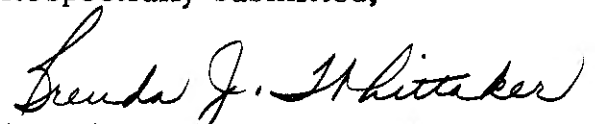
Mr. Wesley reported on Police-Community Relations. He stated that the Commission has received a number of complaints in regard to the Police Department and that these complaints were discussed with the police department. He said that although complaints involving our local police have been received courteously by the police department, there is need for improved communication within our community regarding this matter. He recommended that one possible way of doing this would be to set up a series of informal discussions involving representatives of each the police department, the Negro community and the Commission.

It was therefore moved, seconded and unanimously approved that the staff set up such meetings.

Because of the growing evidence of unrest, the Commission discussed the possibility of holding its next two montly meetings within the inner city in places where the residents of the areas would readily be able to discuss their concerns with the Commission, and secondly, learn more about the purpose and function of the Commission. The Commission agreed to hold its regular May meeting in the Hanna-Creighton area and the June meeting in the Rolling Mill area. These meetings will be held in the evenings. The Executive Secretary was instructed to set up meeting time and meeting place.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brenda J. Whittaker".

(Miss) Brenda J. Whittaker
Recording Secretary

THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE THIS TUESDAY, MAY 24, 1966, AT 7:30 P. M. AT THE REDEVELOPMENT OFFICE, 2233 BOWSER AVENUE (CORNERS OF BOWSER AND CREIGHTON STREET).

CITY TREASURER'S AND CONTROLLER'S OR CLERK'S MONTHLY BALANCE

MONTH OF March, 1967

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

A. E. BOYCE CO., MUNCIE, IND. 47303

PRESCRIBED BY STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS, CITY FORM NO. 2084 - 1958

TOTAL JAN. 1 BALANCE AND RECEIPTS TO DATE 1	RECEIPTS FOR MONTH 2	TOTAL BALANCE AND RECEIPTS 3	F U N D S	DISBURSED TO DATE 4	DISBURSED FOR MONTH 5	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS 6	TREASURER'S ENDING BALANCE 7	CLERK'S OR CONTROLLER'S ENDING BALANCE 8
1,343,211.66	532,450.40	1,875,662.06	GENERAL	1,040,753.51	556,739.26	1,597,492.77		278,169.29
4,151.44		4,151.44	STREET SPECIAL	-0-	54.80	54.80		4,096.64
1,276,261.82	163,578.88	1,439,840.70	MOTOR VEHICLE	1,041,924.36	72,280.26	1,114,204.62		325,636.08
444,620.22	3,193.73	447,813.95	SEWER RELIEF	315,068.79	21,122.95	336,191.74		111,622.21
35,995.35		35,995.35	FLOOD PREVENTION	3,605.80	3,136.32	6,742.12		29,253.23
120,314.32	39,338.50	159,652.82	FIRE PENSION	36,435.94	36,198.81	72,634.75		87,018.07
86,660.55	39,521.62	126,182.17	POLICE PENSION	40,033.41	40,855.36	80,888.77		45,293.40
22,043.56	630.00	22,673.56	SANITARY' OFFICER'S PENSION	2,204.99	2,204.99	4,409.98		18,263.58
19,867.33	6,526.59	26,393.92	MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE'S PENSION	12,714.34	6,577.25	19,291.59		7,102.33
33,370.37	7,063.80	40,434.17	PARKING GARAGE	16,500.89	2,408.86	18,909.75		21,524.42
137,941.77	7,490.36	145,432.13	PARKING METERS	106,751.32	10,824.59	117,575.91		27,856.22
202,860.90	29,285.23	232,146.13	AVIATION	74,001.66	25,516.07	99,517.73		132,628.40
1,635,579.00	1,635,579.00	1,635,579.00	Red. - R-51 - Anthony Wayne Bank	1,635,360.16	1,635,360.16	1,635,360.16		218.84
1,202,714.57	78,859.95	1,281,574.52	" - R-51 - Ft. Wayne Nat'l Bank	1,146,276.29	100,332.07	1,246,608.36		34,966.16
84,199.61		84,199.61	REDEVELOPMENT GENERAL	-0-	1,710.55	1,710.55		82,489.06
1,447,979.82	32,662.92	1,447,979.82	Red. - R-52	1,261,975.60	93,459.25	1,355,434.85		92,544.97
31,359.07		31,359.07	REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICT BOND	24,203.31	9,262.85	33,466.16		30,555.83
9,785.00		9,785.00	REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICT BOND	-0-		-0-		9,785.00
334,353.94	2,770.50	337,124.44	REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICT CAPITAL	82,587.81	11,438.10	94,025.91		243,098.53
1,127,461.97	559,968.52	1,687,430.49	PAYROLL	1,081,209.95	619,526.16	1,700,736.11		(13,305.62)
586,774.84	159,902.85	746,677.69	Park - General	308,371.62	245,962.56	554,334.18		192,343.51
63,337.40	66,690.00	130,027.40	Park - Trust	3,374.83	436.36	3,811.19		126,216.21
1,396.68	175.00	1,571.68	HUMANE TRUST	120.00	40.00	160.00		1,411.68
108,305.57		108,305.57	SINKING	101,110.60		101,110.60		7,194.97
61,970.55		61,970.55	EXPRESSWAY	57,326.20		57,326.20		4,644.35
30,072.73		30,072.73	PUBLIC LIGHTING	21,729.47	1,744.74	23,474.21		6,598.52
35,008.00		35,008.00	BARRETT LAW MANDATE JUDGEMENT	-0-		-0-		35,008.00
3,215,747.57	2,011,818.23	5,227,565.80	ELECTRIC	2,633,211.34	1,967,787.64	4,600,998.98		626,566.82
1,386,703.71	450,388.83	1,837,092.54	WATER	972,845.06	408,811.01	1,381,656.07		455,436.47
1,720,972.17	1,129,879.23	2,850,851.40	SEWAGE	1,399,885.24	1,162,615.30	2,562,500.54		288,350.86
114,971.67		114,971.67	ST. MARY'S RIVER	97,667.11		97,667.11		17,304.56
1,156.39		1,156.39	FORT WAYNE ART SCHOOL	1,156.39		1,156.39		-0-
341,863.04		341,863.04	CUMULATIVE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT	148,551.90		148,551.90		193,311.14
500,610.57	24,900.00	525,510.57	CITY-COUNTY BUILDING	522,333.50		522,333.50		3,177.07
500.00		500.00	CHANGE (Petty-Cash)	-0-		-0-		500.00
17,779,123.16	5,347,095.14	23,117,218.30	TOTALS	14,189,291.39	5,401,046.06	19,590,337.50		3,526,880.80
ADJUSTMENTS (explain fully)								
BALANCE (col. 7 must agree with col. 8)								

AND REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

MONTH OF _____, 19__

DEPOSITORY STATEMENT

NAMES OF DEPOSITORIES AND DEPOSITORY ACCOUNTS

DEPOSITORY
BALANCE
END OF MONTH
9

OUTSTANDING
WARRANTS
10

NET
DEPOSITORY
BALANCE
11

TOTALS

ADD: Cash in Office

ADJUSTMENTS (explain fully)

TOTAL CASH BALANCE (must agree with balances in columns 7 and 8)

The Council then adjourned.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that I am the duly elected, acting and incumbent City Clerk of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana and as such the custodian of the records of the Common Council of said city and that the above and foregoing is the true, full and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana for its Regular Session, held on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1967; that the numbered ordinances shown therein were duly adopted by said Common Council on said date and were presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne and were signed and approved or disapproved by said Mayor as and on the dates shown as to each such ordinance ^{respectively}; and that all such records, proceedings ~~and~~ ^{resolutions} ordinances remain on file and record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, this 11th day of April, 1967.

Walter C. Meyers
City Clerk

SEAL